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And the Nominee Does Not Talk Politics—His Brief Remarks in Full—Lieutenant Governor Jones Concludes to Pay No Freight in This Campaign, Being Badly Disgruntled—Nebraska Democracy Puts Up a Ticket on a Free Silver Platform—Political Field Notes.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 18.—Hon. Roswell P. Flower, Democratic nominee for governor, arrived here at 8:35 o'clock last night, accompanied by Daniel G. Griffin, state committeeman; his nephew, Fred Flower, of New York, and S. L. George, of this city. Eight thousand citizens turned out to welcome Mr. Flower here. He was met at the railroad station by a brass band, and was escorted to his carriage. The crowd unhitched the horses, and some of the leading business men of the city drew the carriage to Mr. Flower's residence, where ex-Congressman Lansing, of this city, welcomed him in a short congratulatory speech, in which he said that the demonstration was not a partisan affair, but was one in which all of Mr. Flower's old neighbors joined, irrespective of politics.

A Speech to His Neighbors.

Mr. Flower spoke as follows: "With a heart full of gratitude, I thank you for this friendly demonstration, recognizing the fact that you do not greet me as allies in the coming political battle, which rightly must divide our people, but as my neighbors and old time friends, bound together by ties which will never sever—by ties of interest, of sympathy, of duty, and, I hope may add, by bonds of mutual regard. The nomination to the office of governor has come to me from my party unsolicited. I am not insensible to the high honor—proposed by the suffrage of our people to be conferred upon me—of presiding over the destiny of this state, nor unmindful of the responsibility of that position

A Eulogy on New York.

"For this is the greatest state in the Union. Nowhere else on earth have so many inhabitants in so short a period of time been gathered together over so small a territory as in the state of New York, and only fourteen nations of the world have more inhabitants than this commonwealth. In amount and variety of production she ranks first among the states of the Union, as well as for the number of persons employed in various pursuits. To preside over such a state, to be able to contribute anything valuable to the prosperity of such a people might well kindle the pride of any American citizen and fill up the measure of his ambition. I owe much to the people of Jefferson county, where I was born and spent my early manhood.

"While my residence for the past twenty years has been in the city of New York, my summer home has been with you. This honor conferred upon me is not alone a personal one. It is an honor to this northern section of the state. Not since the days of Silas Wright, in 1844, has a gubernatorial candidate been selected by either party from this section, and never before has the choice fallen on a Jefferson county boy. As one of her sons, I hope I can win her laurels. It will partly repay the debt of gratitude I owe her, for as the arrows of political hate have been aimed at me in the past, surrounded as I have been by the armor of your esteem, they have fallen at my feet.

Shook Hands with the People.

"Your presence here to night reassures me for the future. Fidelity and zeal in the discharge of duty, and an earnest desire to advance the welfare of our commonwealth, must be the only pledge I can offer you for your preference and the confidence sought to be reposed in me. Should I be elected governor, and I believe I shall be, I shall endeavor faithfully to serve all the people of this great state, seeking aid from Him who doeth all things well"

After the speech Mr. Flower shook hands with the people for fifteen minutes, and was then driven to the Union club, where a number of leading citizens of both parties gave him a reception.

JONES HE BOLTS THE TICKET.

New York's Lieutenant Governor Believes Things in a Bad Way.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 18.—Lieutenant Governor Jones yesterday furnished the following for the press: "Being requested by the press to announce my intentions relating to the nominations of the Saratoga convention I will say that my political action has always been controlled by my sense of duty as a citizen, never recognizing conflicting party obligations. I believe, in this instance, that not only have the whole people been sacrificed, but the existence of the Democratic party jeopardized; for behind the nominations and in absolute control of the party, are men whose every sentiment of patriotism is subject either to their personal ambition or their selfish greed, and the administration of public affairs is shaped to perpetuate their rule.

Bound to Oppose His Party.

"So complete is the power of these men and so dictatorial have they become that members of the party are but serfs so far as political action is concerned. Continued subservience must but make the condition too degrading to be quietly borne by American citizens. There is but one way to dislodge the usurpers. The temporary defeat of the party will be harmless compared with the effects of their control. For the welfare of the state, and in the interest of the Democratic party, to me my duty appears clear, which is to oppose the election of the nominee of the Saratoga convention to such extent as may be within my power, and in such a manner as may seem best to accomplished that purpose." Mr. Jones declines to specify just what action he will take in the matter.

Republicans Charged with Dodging.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 18.—Governor Campbell opened the Democratic campaign yesterday at Sidney, O., to a fair sized assemblage. He said that one of the most encouraging features of the campaign was the apprehension exhibited by Republicans in regard to the tariff. The Republicans, by the nomination of McKinley, had made the tariff the issue, and now they were dodging it. Referring to Senator Sherman's prediction of the result of the free coinage, the governor said that he was a false prophet, and cited instances in which what the senator predicted had not come about.

THE ALLIANCE IN CONGRESS.

Points of a Loan Bill They Will Try to Have Passed.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—The officials on duty at the headquarters of the Farmers' Alliance here are arranging the programme of legislation which they hope to see enacted by the Fifty-second congress. In place of the sub-treasury bill they have constructed one that provides that any citizen who owns and resides upon any tract of land containing not less than ten nor more than 320 acres, and who has at least one-half of that tract in actual cultivation, shall be entitled to receive from the treasury of the United States a loan in amount not to exceed one-half the appraised value of the land and the improvements on it. The loans are to be for not less than five nor more than ten years, and the borrower is to pay interest at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.

They Have a Mortgage on Vance.

Besides fifty-five members of the house the Alliance people claim Senators Peffer, of Kansas; Kyle, of South Dakota; Irby, of South Carolina, and Vance, of North Carolina. They claim Vance because he was elected after the legislature of his state had passed a resolution that no man could be chosen senator until he agreed to a programme that was practically that of the Alliance. Vance having agreed to these resolutions, the Alliance now claims him as its own.

Nebraska Democrats

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Sept. 18.—The Democratic state convention met here yesterday, F. P. Ireland presiding. The following ticket was nominated: For judge supreme court, Judge J. H. Broady, of Beatrice; for regents of the university, F. A. Brogan and S. F. Henricker. The feature of the platform is the indorsement of free coinage of silver, and the denunciation of the law allowing landers to stipulate for payment in gold. The supreme court of the state was charged with "indecent haste" in unseating Governor Boyd.

SAD SUICIDE OF A LITTLE GIRL.

She Takes Poison Because Her Mother Will Drink.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 18.—Little Annie Haley, 14 years old, is dying from a self-administered dose of paris green. Her mother is addicted to the use of liquor, and some months ago was brought before the court for intoxication. She was sentence to sixty days in jail, but her sentenced was suspended on her promise to abstain from alcoholic beverages. She kept her vow until Wednesday when, in some way, she obtained enough liquor to make her drunk, and she was arrested and taken to the police station to await transfer to the jail to serve out her original sentence. Just before her removal to the county prison her husband, James Haley, rushed breathlessly into the station crying out "For God's sake let my wife come home home; Annie is dying."

Took Her Vow Too Late.

Briefly told he told the story, and a moment later the mother was released from her cell and, entering a hack, was driven to her home. Annie had been to school, but at recess learned of her mother's arrest. She obtained her dismissal, walked to the nearest drug store and bought a box of paris green. She went home to her chamber, swallowed the poison and was found unconscious by her father when he returned home. Three physicians worked over her for hours. She recovered consciousness when her mother arrived, and their meeting was pathetic. At the bedside of her dying child the mother took a vow to abstain from intoxicants The physicians have no hope that they can save the girl's life.

TOO RASHLY IMPORTUNATE.

A Reckless and Impatient Couple Wind Up Their Romance.

WOODLAND, Cal., Sept. 18.—The finding of the bodies of Miss May Adams and J. W. Montgomery yesterday revealed the tragical results of a sad romance. Miss Adams is the daughter of Hon. L. B. Adams, while Montgomery is the son of Judge Montgomery, of Stockton. The two were lovers, but it is said that the young lady's parents refused to permit their marriage, and they sought union in death. The bodies were found in the rear yard of a small unoccupied residence. A vial labeled poison and a revolver were found close by. Investigation showed that Montgomery first shot Miss Adams in the left temple and then fired a shot through his own brain.

Fire at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—The six story building at 175 Monroe street was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The total loss is estimated at $90,000. Only the prompt and skillful action of the entire down-town department prevented a disastrous conflagration. The building is in the very heart of the city, and not 100 feet away from the magnificent Woman's temple. The department pumped the south end of Lake Michigan into the blaze, and quenched it. The losers are: W. J. Jefferson, building; Wycoff, Seamans & Benedict, typewriter supplies; Jones & Morse, stationers and printers; the W. J. Jefferson Printing company, and Blumgren & Co., type founders.

Western Association Drops Out.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 18.—The Western base ball association held an extra meeting here yesterday. It was decided that the association's season closed last Sunday, when the Omaha team disbanded, Sioux City being in the lead at that time, the championship was awarded to it. The games, therefore, which have been and are to be played between Sioux City, and Kansas City count only as exhibition games. The game yesterday was won by Kansas City by heavy batting and costly errors by Raymond and Schelbeck. The score was 14 to 5.

Explosion of Planing Mill Dust.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 18.—Schrader's planing mill on Erie street caught fire yesterday, and while the firemen were working on the inside an explosion of dust occurred, injuring three of them, burning off their mustaches, eyebrows, and hair. A fourth man was nearly drowned by the bursting of a hose A boy named Ganzel was probably fatally injured.

Time on Garfield Park Course.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Following are given the winners at the Garfield park races yesterday: Vidette, ⅝ mile, 1:16¾; Good-Bye, 1 1-16 miles, 1:50¾; Kenwood, 1⅛ miles, 1:57¼; Fred Taral, 7/8 furlongs, 1:37; Queen Isabella, ⅝ mile, 1:03¾; Mandolin, ¾ mile, 1:16.

THE MODUS VIVENDI.

Indications That It Will Be Declared Inoperative.

ITS TERMS HAVE BEEN VIOLATED.

The North American Commercial Company Has Exceeded the Limit of Its Catch and Sir Julian Pauncefote Has Called Uncle Sam's Attention to the Matter—The Anti-Trust Law To Be Vigorously Prosecuted.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18—Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British minister, has officially called the attention of the United States to a violation of the terms of the modus vivendi in effect between the two countries as to the catch of seal in Behring sea. By the agreement between the two countries, the North American Commercial company, which leases the seal islands from the United States, was restricted in the catch of seals this year to 7,500 skins. It is alleged that the Commercial company has exceeded this catch, thus violating the modus vivendi and the British government has called the United States to account for it.

An Important Matter.

Special Agent Williams of the treasury department has made a special report on this branch of the seal question to the treasury department and his report was Friday forwarded to the state department with the request that its contents be laid before the British minister for transmission to the foreign office in London. The contents of Agent Williams' report cannot be accurately ascertained, but it is understood that he makes the admission that the North American Commercial company has exceeded the limit of catch—7,500 skins—fixed by the modus vivendi The matter is regarded here as quite important, and may lead to the modus vivendi being declared inoperative after this date

WAR AGAINST THE TRUSTS.

The Department of Justice Intends to Break Them Up.

WASHINGTON, Sept 18.—It has been asserted that the attorney general would begin an active prosecution of the anti-trust law by making a test case against the dressed beef trust, which is popularly supposed to be an octupus having its main haunts in and about Chicago. Solicitor General Taft said Friday that the department of justice has no designs on this particular trust. He said it was proposed to make a war against all trusts and break them up if the law was strong enough for that purpose. To that end a letter had been sent to the district attorneys throughout the country telling them to investigate those trade combinations in their localities which were reputed to be trusts

Trusts Particularly Mentioned.

District attorneys were reminded that there was a popular belief that a beef trust existed in the west and an oil trust in the east. These trusts were particularly mentioned as indicating the department of justice's view that the popular rumors concerning trusts should be followed up and verified if possible in order that prosecution might be commenced this fall. It was not intended, so it was claimed, to confine the investigation to these trusts or to make them test cases, but to make a clean sweep of them all They were instanced as among a class which the public had done the most talking about, and any seeming prosecution might strengthen the party in power.

The Counselman Case.

The solicitor general expects that the decision next month of the Counselman case, which came from Illinois to the United States supreme court, will have an important bearing on prosecuting the anti-trust law. Counselman refused to submit to an examination under the interstate commerce law on the ground that it might criminate him. If the court sustains him it will be a severe blow to the anti trust law, for the members of a trust may hereafter refuse to be examined by a grand jury as to the existence of the trust on the groung that it may criminate them.

Presidential Proclamation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18—The president Friday issued his proclamation opening the new lands in Oklahoma for settlement on Tuesday, the 22d inst.

SAY SHE IS DISS DE BAR.

Chicago Police Satisfied That Vera Ava and the "Spook Priestess" Are One.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—The identity of "Vera P. Ava," who mysteriously disappeared on the night of Sept. 9 and so sensationally found herself in Cincinnati two days later, has been settled to the entire satisfaction of the police authorities. They firmly believe that the woman is none other than Ann O'Delia Diss De Bar. Lieutenant Shea received Friday morning from the editor of the New York Police News a proof of the best portrait of Diss De Bar that has ever been printed.

Seems To be a Complete Failure.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 18.—The appraisers appointed by Judge Alden, of the district court of Wyandotte county, Kan., to ascertain he value of the assets of the suspended First National bank of Kansas City, Kan., filed their report Thursday. The assets are appraised at $1,680. The liabilities of the bank are $34,000.

Failure of a Kansas Bank.

LYONS, Kan., Sept. 18.—The Bank of Lyons made an assignment of all its assets Wednesday to W. G. Nicholas, for the benefit of its creditors. No statement of the condition of the bank can be procured from the bank's officers It is believed, however, the assets will equal the liabilities.

Right Kind of Man to Hang.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 18.—Fred S. Kammerer, of 119 York street, while in a drunken fit, Thursday shot his wife, and while being conveyed to the police station said he hoped that he had killed her, as she was "not the right kind of a woman." Mrs. Kammerer died shortly before noon

The Engineer Killed.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 18.—A collision occurred on the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railroad near Newport, Del. An engineer was killed

Captain Mullins, of the Chicago fire insurance patrol, was killed by inhaling muriatic acid fumes at a fire, and five other firemen were very seriously injured in the same manner.

RUSSIA WAKING UP.

Two Wrongs Righted in the Domain of the Czar.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 18.—Horrible disclosures were made at a recent trial in Kieff, arising from the death of a prisoner named Drijikouoff in jail. The post-mortem examination on the body showed that the man had been horribly beaten, twelve of his ribs being broken. At the trial warders confessed that by order of Inspector Morozoff they had beaten the deceased with sticks and stones wrapped in rags, and declared that such castigation was common. Six warders were sentenced to hard labor, while Inspector Morozoff was sentenced to exile in Siberia and the loss of civil rights. Morozoff, however, has eluded the police and fled to America.

Their Appeal Listened To.

WARSAW, Sept 18.—The bakers of the town of Segriz, Poland, raised the price of bread to 5 kopecken per pound on account of the raise in the price of grain. The populace rebelled, rose en masse, invaded the market place, and sent an appeal to the governor of the district. This official at once granted their request for a restoration of the old price for the staff of life. He sent three soldiers, headed by a drummer, to parade the streets and announce that bread should again be sold for 4 kopecken per pound, the former price, and that any baker refusing to accept this price should be imprisoned.

DID HE MARRY FOR MONEY?

A 19-Year-Old Youth Wedded to a Maiden Lady of 70.

GREENSBURG, Pa., Sept. 18.—Miss Polly Errett, aged 70, Thursday night became the wife of Lewis Ratler, who confesses to but 19 summers. The bride is wealthy and owns a large farm near here Ratler went to work for her some months ago, and was soon violently in love with his sprightly old employer. He proposed marriage, but the lady laughed at the idea. Lewis persisted, however, and finally Miss Polly yielded. She says she decided to marry him because she pitied him, he was so deeply in love.

The Ceremony Performed.

The bride's relatives opposed the marriage vigorously, claiming that the young man was simply after the old lady's cash. She wouldn't be turned against him, however, and Thursday morning went with him to the license clerk and secured the necessary document. The ceremony was performed in the evening quietly at the bride's home. The young groom is intelligent and industrious, and will now devote all his time to managing his wife's estate.

Sham Battle with Smokeless Powder.

BERLIN, Sept. 18.—During the German army manouvers Thursday the Eleventh army corps encountered the Fourth in sham battle at Mulhausen in the presence of the kaiser. The Fourth had artillery at the summit of Kaltkopf hill, the main body occupying Grossgrabe village at the foot of the hill, with General Haenisch in command The Eleventh corps, under Baron Grotman, made a feint against the hill and the retreat attack on Grossgrabe. They faced a heavy fire but failed to dislodge Haenisch and his troops The kaiser galloped from point to point with indefatigable activity About 60,000 men were engaged, and the firing was incessant, yet, owing to the use of smokeless powder, the atmosphere was perfectly clear.

Has Knowledge of Two Crimes.

SAGINAW, Mich., Sept. 18.—A man in an excited state of mind came to police headquarters Friday and told the officers that he came to Saginaw from Chicago and formerly lived at Quincy, Ills. While in the latter place he says he became possessed of the knowledge of two terrible crimes. One was the murder of a citizen of that place, who was thrown into the river and drowned. The other was the killing of a man in the woods by chopping his head open He thinks the guilty men are on his track, knowing that he possessed the knowledge to convict them. The matter will be investigated by the police.

Horse Without Hair.

MENOMINEE, Mich., Sept 18.—There is on exhibition here a remarkable freak in the shape of a hairless horse. The beast is 6 years old and hasn't the sign of a hair on its body. The horse is splendidly built otherwise. The strange animal is a Wisconsin product. It was foaled on the farm of a Belgian, near Sturgeon Bay. For several years after its birth crops failed in the vicinity and the superstitious foreigners concluded that the hairless horse was a "hoodoo." Menominee parties obtained it of $40 and have been offered $5,000.

Panic at a Bear and Bull Fight.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 18.—Mexican independence was celebrated at Tia Juana by a fight between a wild bull and a bear. The animals were tied to a stake in the middle of an arena by short ropes. In their struggles they broke the ropes and the bear climed out of the arena among the spectators. A panic ensued, and women and children were trampled on and bruised. A drunken Mexican fired two shots at the bear with a revolver, but the bullets went into the crowd, slightly wounding one man.

Colonel King Sentenced to Death.

MEMPHIS Sept. 18.—Colonel H. Clay King, one of the best known men of Memphis, must perish on the scaffold unless his sentence is commuted or the supreme court intervenes. Judge Dubose of the criminal court handed down his long delayed decision overruling the motion of King for a new trial. The prisoner was then brought before the bar and the sentence of death passed upon him, the date being fixed for Nov. 6 He received the sentence without a tremor

Clem Studebaker's Daughter Married.

SOUTH BEND Ind., Sept. 18.—Miss Anne M Studebaker, only daughter of Clem Studebaker, was married at 7 o'clock Thursday evening at "Tippecanoe place," the home of the bride, to Charles Arthur Carlisle of Toledo, O. The ceremony was performed by the Rt Rev Bishop Foster of Boston, assisted by the Rev. Wilson of this city, the full Methodist Episcopal ceremony with ring being used.

Miss Leiter to Marry an Earl.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—A local society paper says: A rumor comes from England that the Earl of Rosebery is about to marry Miss Leiter of Chicago, who has been passing the season in London. The earl's first wife was Miss Rothschild, who died last year, he inheriting her enormous wealth.

THE FOOL AND THE GUN

Another Case of "Didn't Know It Was Loaded."

THE DOUBLE WORK OF ONE BULLET.

Sad Tragedy at a Shooting Contest of Connecticut Militiamen—One Person Killed Outright and Another Fatally Injured—Terrible Experience of Two Aeronauts at a State Fair—Fatal Boiler Explosion in Ohio.

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., Sept. 18.—A fatal accident occurred here at the practice shoot of Company G, Putnam, and Company E, Willimantic, Third regiment, C. N. G. John Peterson of Company G picked up a rifle and pointed it at different members of both companies. He was told to put it down but refused, saying it was not loaded. He pointed it at Richard Babbington, aged 25, a private in his company, and pulled the trigger.

Struck Two Men

A report followed and the next instant Babbington and William Malone of Company E fell to the ground. Babbington was instantly killed, while Malone was fatally wounded. The bullet—a 48 calibre—had passed through Babbington's heart and out at his back, and struck Malone, who stood ten paces in the rear of him. Malone was also shot through and through, the bullet being found in a board fence thirty paces to the rear. Peterson was immediately arrested. He claimed that he did not know the gun was loaded.

FELL FROM A BALLOON.

Two Aeronauts Have a Frightful Experience in Connecticut.

MERIDEN, Sept. 18.—One of the features of the state fair, now in progress here, has been the balloon ascension made every afternoon. Professor Northrop has been making the ascensions, but Thursday afternoon he was indisposed and James Robinson, one of his helpers, agreed to take his place. When the balloon had reached a height of 100 feet one of the ropes on the trapeze broke and Robinson fell to the ground. He was so badly injured that it is thought he will die.

Dragged Through Tree Tops.

Later Frank Bronson, another helper, agreed to make the second trip He went up to a height of 1,000 feet and attempted to release the parachute, but could not. The balloon was caught by a current of air and carried away. Bronson held on, and when the balloon began to descend he was dragged through the tree tops When found, four miles away, he was suffering from exhaustion and internal injuries. He is in a critical condition.

Dragged Through the Street by His Horse

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 18.—William Stinson, a young coupe driver met death Thursday in a most tragic manner. While returning to his stable his vehicle collided with a similar one and he was thrown over the dasher. His left leg became entangled in the harness, and the horse, taking fright, galloped madly up the street. Stinson was dragged a long distance and when the team was finally stopped he was dead and his head was battered into an almost unrecognizable mass.

Terribly Fatal Boiler Explosion.

CHARDON, O., Sept. 18.—A report has reached this city of the killing of three men at Montville, ten miles from here. The boiler in Vausises jelly factory exploded with terrific force, entirely demolishing the building. Later reports say that two little girls are among the killed They were playing in a buggy near the factory.

Fatal Accident to a Little Boy.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Sept 18.—While Mrs. F. M. Brown was engaged in filling a gasoline stove her 2-year-old son ran between her and the stove, causing her to spill the fluid, a quantity of which struck the little fellow in the face, going down his throat. Death resulted before medical assistance could be summoned.

Vamoosed the Ranch.

COLUMBUS, Wis., Sept. 18.—Katie, the 15-year-old daughter of Mrs. James Hutchinson, a widow, left home in the morning of last Friday before the family was up. She was seen on the eastbound train on the afternoon of the same day, and that is the only trace that the mother has of her child, although search has been made in all directions. Katie was a sprightly child, small for her age, slight build, bright auburn hair, and pleasant manners She had been disappointed in not grading in school as she expected, and had experienced some other childish grievances.

Polk Denies the Story.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 18.—Special dispatches from Wichita, Kan., say that President L. L. Polk of the National Farmers' Alliance came near being made the victim of a coat of tar and feathers at that place. It is said that old soldiers were the instigators of the contemplated outrage. President Polk and ex Congressman Weaver, the prominent Alliance and third party man from Iowa, reached Kansas City. Both of these gentlemen denounce the dispatches from Wichita, branded them as slanderous and said that the man who instigated them was a liar and a coward.

A French Cabinet Officer Married.

PARIS, Sept. 18.—M. Rouvier, minister of finance, married Thursday Marguerite Pommereul, widow of Dr. Guyet. M. Ribot, minister of foreign affairs, and M. Fallieres, minister of justice, acted as best men on the occasion. Deputy Mayor Isabey, of the Sixteenth arrondissement of Paris, performed the ceremony.

Decapitated His Child with an Ax.

WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 18.—A Whitewood special to The Free Press says that a settler named Westerlund, of New Stockholm, chopped the head off his 2-year old daughter Wednesday with a broad-ax. He was insane at the time.

Church Funds Stolen.

VIRGINIA, Ills., Sept. 18.—Burglars entered the house of Rev. W. A. McKinney, at Chandlersville, and secured $140 belonging to the church fund. The work was done by professionals.

Fifty Men Reported Killed.

TRIESTE, Sept. 18.—It is reported that fifty workmen were killed by the collapse of a tunnel in a new line of railway not far from here.

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SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 19, 1891.

TARIFF REFORM IS THE QUESTION.

Gov. Campbell formally opened the Ohio campaign for the democracy at Sidney Thursday, with a speech that abundantly vindicates the wisdom of the Ohio democracy in the choice of their leader. He said just what was needed, and while he said many things that were good and true he said nothing better or truer than his emphatic declaration that the tariff and the tariff only is the issue between the two great parties and that until this question is definitely and finally settled, no other issue can be allowed to supersede it.

This is how he put it:

One of the most encouraging features of the pending campaign is the universal apprehension exhibited by the republican leaders with respect to the tariff. Their concerted efforts to ignore that issue, or to treat it as secondary and unimportant, are exceedingly suggestive. Less than a year ago, when the author of the most oppressive tariff in our history was defeated for re-election, the republicans with an almost unanimous voice demanded his nomination for governor.

The nominee had for many years been a conspicuous leader in the movement for a prohibitive tariff. He had risen by long and faithful service to be the congressional commander of the protective forces. He was the personification of protection gone mad. He was deservedly and pre-eminently the champion of a cause which gained its greatest triumph in a law that bears his name. However meritorious his many other services may have been deemed by his party, it was for none of them that he was selected as their leader; nor yet was it for any supposed credit due him as a long standing and consistent opponent of the free and unlimited coinage of silver because as will be shown here today, he had, until recently, been an ardent supporter of such coinage. He was nominated wholly and solely because, as chairman of the committee on ways and means in the fifty-first congress, he had been the principal figure in the enactment of the tariff. His nomination emphasized that issue as the supreme struggle of the campaign. The democracy accepted this gage of battle, the people of Ohio prepared for a contest upon that issue; and the entire country await the onset. The republican press of the state gleefully announced that the candidate for governor would be enabled to confine himself to the tariff, because, as they said, Senator Sherman would handle the subject of coinage and Secretary Foster defend the billion dollar congress.

Imagine the consternation of the protectionists and the amazement of sincere republicans when, upon the very spot of his birth, their candidate for governor, whom they had entrusted with the gorgeous banner of higher taxation, deliberately sent it to the rear with the baggage wagons and camp-followers, while he opened the battle upon the subject of silver coinage—an issue of which neither party has yet spoken through its national platform, and in regard to which Senator Sherman truthfully said at Paulding that "both the republican and democratic parties are somewhat divided." After the candidate had thrown this bone of republican contention to the people and solemnly declared it to be the vital issue of the campaign, he proceeded to apologize for his unpopular tariff. The entire press of the country broke into a chorus of unfriendly comment upon the unexpected shirking of the conceded issue by the republican leader. The democratic papers jeered, while the republican papers lamely attempted to conceal their chagrin. Soon after this our senior senator, wise and sagacious in his day and generation, opened his end of the campaign in a speech lasting several hours, but his reference to the tariff—the dominating issue of the campaign—did not occupy ten seconds.

Gov. Campbell then proceeded to show McKinley's record on the money question in a manner that will cause that gentleman to become a public laughing stock should he again attempt the discussion of financial questions. He showed that as late as 1890 McKinley voted for silver inflation. He showed that in 1877 McKinley not only voted in congress for free silver coinage but actually voted to suspend the rules so that not one moment might be lost in inflicting what he now calls a great outrage on the people. In 1878 McKinley voted to pass the Bland silver bill over the veto of a republican president and as late as Oct. 27, 1890, he wrote "I would honor gold and silver alike," and free silver men have freely claimed him as a supporter of their doctrines. Secretary Foster was shown to have a similarly devious record on the silver question and then Gov. Campbell sums up the question in this way

The truth is that in Ohio (notwithstanding the declaration in their platform) and everywhere else—especially in the Central and Western states—the republican party is seriously divided upon the free coinage of silver. In the United States senate the vote on that question stood 16 republicans for free silver and 26 against it. The republican conventions in many states, beginning with Indiana, and moving westward, have declared in favor of it.

Doubtless, also, the democratic party is equally as divided. There is an honest difference of opinion concerning the time and manner in which silver can be restored to the place in our coinage which it occupied prior to its stealthy demonetization in 1873; but the entire democracy desire to see this done with honesty, and as speedily as existing conditions will permit. We do not intend that this subject shall go undebated, neither do we intend that our enemies shall divert us from the decisive issue of the tariff.

These utterances are timely and come from a mind that has a broad and comprehensive grasp of the present political situation. *"We do not intend that our enemies shall divert us from the decisive issue of the tariff."* This should be the watchword of every democratic orator and every democratic editor. The tariff is the question to be settled first.

As Gov. Campbell says, it is useless to disguise the fact that the democratic party is almost hopelessly divided on the silver question. The action of the New York convention establishes this if proof were needed. It is also true that the republican party is just as hopelessly divided on the silver question, but the difference is here. To the republicans the silver question is a refuge however dangerous, still a refuge from a still more dangerous question—the tariff.

To the democracy the silver question is a snare to beguile them. For them the tariff question is a tower of strength. By that sign we will conquer. By frittering away our energies on a question upon which it is impossible for us to agree, we run a risk which it is the part of wisdom to avoid. Tariff reform is the question. Let it be paramount.

THE Washington dispatches convey the information that Senator Cullom is pressing the claims of Judge C. B. Smith of Champaign county for one of the judgeships created by the last congress. Wonder what the Republicans of this judicial district would say if Harrison should give heed to the prayer of the wily Shelby?

DEMOCRATIC differences in Cook county have been finally and harmoniously settled and the republican politicians who are trying to keep Mayor Washburne straight, are the only unhappy individuals to be found there. The democrats are united and jubilant.

THE democrats are forcing the fight in Iowa. Gov. Boies and Congressman Springer are making a campaign of argument and education that cannot fail of good effects. It is unnecessary to add that they both make tariff reform the issue.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO—Wheat—Sept., 95⅝c b; Dec., 98⅝c b; year. 95⅛c n, May, $1 05½. Corn—Sept., 56c; Oct., 52⅝c; year 43⅞ @ 44c; May, 42⅞c. Oats—Sept., 27⅛c; Oct., 27⅜c. Pork—Oct., $10 35. Lard—Oct., 6.87½c. Short ribs, 7 @7.02½.

NEW YORK—Wheat—Sept., $1 04⅜ b, Oct., $1.05⅜ b; Nov., $1.07⅛ a Dec., $1.08⅜ a; May, $1.14⅜ a. Corn—Sept., 63c; Oct., 60⅜c; Dec., 59c May, 54⅛a. Oats—Sept., 32¾c n; Oct., 33⅛c a

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18—The Evening Journal reports Cattle—Receipts, 11,000, of which 2,000 Texans and 3,500 Westerns; market glutted; fully 20,000 cattle on sale; prices demoralized, demand choked. Hogs—Receipts, 16,000 good heavy strong, packers weak, grassers unsalable; rough and common, $4 40@4 60 mixed and packers, $4 50@4.90, shipping heavy, $5@5 25, prime, heavy and butcher weights, $5 25@5 55, prime light, $4.75@5.25, according to weight; pigs and grassers, $2 50@4 60. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; quiet but steady.

Clinton

Miss Emma Jepson is visiting relatives in Decatur.

John Ellis is having a new front built to his house on South Center street.

Lieut. Shipley of Chicago was in Clinton over Sunday looking for Abe Foster for assault to commit murder

Mr. and Mrs. Bracken of Farmer City have returned home after several days visit with the family of Sheriff Murphy.

William Armstrong and family will move the first of next week from their home in the country to his residence in town which he purchased of Henry Henson.

Marriage Licenses—J. H. Cross, DeWitt, Miss Zettie Darsham, DeWitt. James Glenn, DeWitt, Ida May Troxel, Lane. E. H. Beatty, Clinton; Mary Stewart, Kenney. J. E. Mitchell, Farmer City; Anna Lahman, Farmer City. John G. Davis, Clinton; Gussie Minor, Clinton.

The Clinton Favorites and the Jacksonville club, which has seven professional players, played three games here this week. The first game was played Tuesday and was won by Clinton by a score of 7 to 2. In the next Jacksonville was winner by a score of 2 to 1. The last game was won by Clinton by a score of 10 to 4. This made two games out of the three for our boys. Clinton will go to Jacksonville today where they will play.

Sept. 18.

Lincoln.

Bids have been asked for paving Pulaski street.

The farmer's institute will be held Oct. 22 and 23

The September term of circuit court will open next Monday with Judge Epler on the bench.

Sheriff A. T. Hays sold his farm of 120 acres in Barnett township, DeWitt county yesterday to Charles Britton for $13,500.

Bids have been asked for lighting the city. The best proposition will be accepted. We hope it will be electric light.

Rev. C. E. Schaible has resigned the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church, and has been succeeded by Rev Keite of Australia.

A jug of water from the fountain by the postoffice corner was sent to Chicago to be analyzed. The report shows it to be good and wholesome.

The eighteenth annual convention of the Logan county school association will be held at New Holland Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 29th and 30.

The Cork Faced Collar company have just received an order for six hundred collars. Twelve new collar makers arrived Monday and were put to work.

The canning company have finished putting up their first 50,000 cans. The company is only able to run about half time on account of not being able to get enough tomatoes.

J. H Smith of Marca who is charged with embezzlement had a preliminary hearing before 'Squire Rudolph Monday and was held in the sum of $500 to await the action of the grand jury.

The Baptist church is almost a new building again. All the seats have been taken out and fine opera chairs aranged in a semicircular form have been put in. They were used Sunday for the first time. New windows were added, the walls were repapered, etc. Formal reopening services were held Tuesday evening. Rev. Dr. Vosburg of Elgin brother of the pastor, delivered the address.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John Zeifang, 18, Miss A. M. M. W. Schmidt 18, both of Lincoln; James W. Stewart 23, Miss Sadie M. Barley 18, both of Hartsburg; William Sample 33, Miss Mary Vasay 20, both of Lincoln.

Sept. 17.

The Soap that Cleans Most is Lenox.

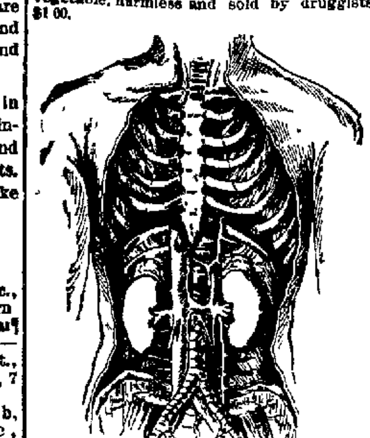
OUR LIVER.

What People Ought to Know of It

THE LIVER.

The nerves which control our liver often become weakened, irritated, diseased the function of the liver is disturbed, and torpid liver or disordered action results Hence the bile, which is waste and poisonous material designed to be expelled, is not properly secreted and eliminated from the body. Thus retained it causes indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, bloating, biliousness, constipation, malaria, bad taste, head ache, dizziness, dull head, nervousness, weak, languid and tired feelings. If not cured this condition *leads to fatal liver and kidney diseases.*

The best remedy and most certain cure, is Dr. Greene's Nervura, which restores digestion, corrects the disordered liver, regulates the bowels, invigorates the blood, and, by strengthening and vitalizing the nerves, re establishes health and strength. It is purely vegetable, harmless and sold by druggists, $1 00.



THE LIVER IN POSITION.

"I tried all our doctors to no purpose My kidney, liver and stomach were terrible I was full of pains and all run down weak and tired I never saw such a wonderful effects as Dr Greene's Nervura had *It has completely cured me*, and I know several other ladies who were cured in this town with Dr Greene's Nervura MISS V D. SANBORN, Billerica, Mass

N. B. ☞ Dr Greene, the successful specialist in curing all forms of nervous and chronic diseases, 35 W. 14th Street, New York, can be consulted *free*, personally, or by letter Call or write him about your case or send for symptom blank to fill out, and a letter fully explaining your disease, giving advice, etc., will be returned *free*.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

Notices under five lines will be inserted in this column one week for twenty-five cents invariably in advance.

WANTED.

COOK WANTED—At No 456 N Main st, corner Eldorado wages $3, no washing

WANTED—By two young men a large well furnished room must be within 3 blks Lincoln square. Address Lock Box, 127

WANTED—A girl for general housework in family of two. Apply at once at 1146 East Cerro Gordo st Decatur Ill

WANTED—A house of seven or eight rooms for a family of grown persons Address "Renter," Abstract Office, 122 North Water street, city.

WANTED—A situation as a fireman Let the work speak for itself Can give references Apply at Bommersbach's green house on Spring Ave

WANTED—The people to know that Walker & Chance pay cash for second hand goods, and do a general line of upholstering furniture, repairing umbrellas, chair caning, etc., and good bargains in all kinds of second-hand goods Walker & Chance, 135-137 North Main street.

WANTED—You to know that you can buy of Scovill anything to furnish your house with, and pay for it by the week or month, and have the goods delivered when the first payment is made No security, no reference, no publicity, Scovill's 215 south side park, Decatur, Ill.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A black filly one year old in October, sired by a Hamiltonian horse Can be seen at Frank Vorden's 3 miles west of town I also invite inspection of my stylish yearling bay filly, sired by Hamiltonian Chief of Kentucky dam a Kentucky whip mare. This filly can be seen at L L Haworth's pasture. JOHN BIRD.

FOR SALE—Three large second hand base burner hardcoal stoves Apply to D C. SHOCKLEY, at Masonic Temple

FOR SALE—Spring wagon and a roadcart will sell cheap. Call at the Bicycle rooms on West William street

FARMS FOR SALE—A fine farm of 145 acres 6 miles from Decatur, and 1½ miles from Mt. Zion for sale for $8,500. $2,500 cash balance on easy terms. This farm is highly improved and is a bargain. Douglas county farm at $45 an acre and a fine Nebraska farm John A Brown

FOR SALE—Brick residence, 14 rooms, gas, water and steam heat, 83 feet front, corner North Main and Eldorado, No. 456. C. P. Housum.

FOR RENT.

FURNISHED OR UNFURISHED ROOMS—To rent at 240 E. Jefferson street three and a half blocks from square.

LOST—FOUND.

LOST—A rosewood crutch somewhere in Decatur on show day It has a spring top and rubber button. Return to J D Smith, Mt Zion township, or THE REVIEW office.

LOST—A ladies' black feather boa, on the Maffitt bridge road, Thursday evening, Sept. 17, for which a liberal reward will be paid for its return to this office

LOST—A lady's gold watch, short chain and charm between Curtis Brothers and 210 W Main street It was lost between 11 and 12 o'clock Full name inside the watch. Return to Adele Stommel 210 West Main street.

FOUND—A scarf-pin with brilliant setting, the owner can have same by calling at Review Office and paying for this advertisement.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HORSE harness and sidebar buggy for sale at a low figure if taken within a few days. Apply at 582 N. Monroe street or bicycle headquarters.

Mrs. BOYER, manager of the Co-operative Club, has taken the Roby dining room and will be glad to receive trancient table boarders She will furnish a first class table at reasonable prices

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN —You will take notice that the undersigned intends making application to the regular meeting of the city council on Sept. 21, 1891, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors, in a house numbered 150 on North Franklin street, which said house and the lot the same is situated thereon, is owned by Thomas Carroll, Decatur, Illinois, September 8, 1891

JULIUS BLACKBURN.

MRS. D. T HARRIS, concert pianist and teacher. "Mrs. D. T. Harris is a musician of rare ability and shows great power and sympathy."—Peoria Transcript Terms reasonable Studio at the Roby

F. M. WESTHOFF—Teacher of piano and organ playing. Apply at Prescott's music store or at 309 E Washington st.

MONEY—To loan in any amount on real estate, furniture, live stock or any other good security at lowest rates of interest. Office in Ullrich block. Geo. H. Scott.

NOTICE—The undersigned is located at 712 North Broadway where he is prepared to do all kinds of reparing in blacksmithing and wagons, horse shoeing and plow work. Please give him a call. G. W. COOK.

GOING TO SCOVILL'S.

He will furnish my house complete on the easy payment plan.
215 South Park street.

$500.00

Worth of Strictly Choice NECK WEAR just received, and will be placed on sale

September 1st.,

At prices lower than can be

DUPLICATED ANYWHERE.

Our Neighbors that dabble in the SAME LINE say JOHN IRWIN'S Selections are par excellence; can't be beat. Boys. in the language of the 400, you are not in it

If You Do Not Buy Your Neckties at Irwin's,

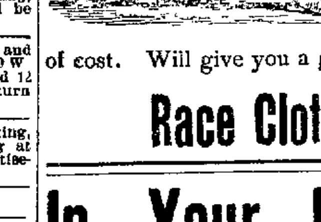
142 Opera House Block.

FLIES WILL DROP INTO EVERY THING, AS THE COOL WEATHER COMES ON. KEEP THEM OUT BY GETTING YOUR DOOR AND WINDOW SCREENS AT THE

Lytle & Eckels Hardware Co.

RACE

Clothing Manufacturing Co.



Why they can sell Shirts, Overalls and Jackets cheap, they manufacture over 20,000 dozen a year. They will sell good Shirts at 25, 50 and 75 cents.

We are throwing all our Straw Hats on the market regardless of cost. Will give you a good Boy's Suit at $1.50.

Race Clothing Manufacturing Co.

In Your Leisure Moments

Take the time to Read and see how Cheap and Easy you can Furnish Your Home at

Cook stove and trimmings	$20 00
Bedroom suit	20 00
Parlor suit	30 06
Sideboards	15 00
Dining table	6 00
High back chairs	8 00

You can make a small payment down the balance in weekly or monthly payments. Why not live in style and comfort? Remember the Largest House Furnishers in Central Illinois.

BACHMAN BROS.

SANTA CLAUS SOAP.

MADE BY N.K. FAIRBANK & Co., CHICAGO.

THE FASHION

Is what is wanted in a ladies' hat or bonnet. New fashions are what we now have to show.

LATE

Styles they are, bright, new fresh goods. Attractive shapes in hats and bonnets. They have been coming the last week. The price, though not so important,

WAY DOWN

Cheap than any one. Come an see the stock. We want to show the goods.

BONTON.

Miss Young, Proprietor.

141 Merchant St.

CLARK'S TRADE MILE-END MARK SPOOL COTTON

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Best Six-Cord Theard

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WHITE, BLACK AND COLORS.

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DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

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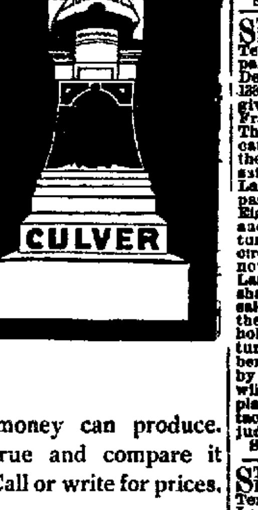
Only Exclusive Monumental House in Decatur.

Over 200 Finely Finished Monuments and Tablets in Stock.



Material and workmanship the best that money can produce. Look in your cemetery and see that this is true and compare it with the "cheap John" work done by others. Call or write for prices.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, s s In the circuit court of said Macon county to the September term, A. D 1891 J. H Conrade's Chair Company vs. Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No 13662, in attachment.

Public notice is hereby given to you, Lansford F. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, that the above named J. H Conrade's Chair Company has caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $53 85 returnable on the fourth Monday of next September. Which suit is now pending. Now, unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, in said county, and give bail and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as is provided by law

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

September 14th, 1891.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon county, ss In the circuit court of said Macon county, to the September term. A D 1891. Charles H. Marshall and Henry E Patrick, partners as Marshall & Patrick vs Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No. 13861 in attachment. Public notice is hereby given to you Lansford F. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, that the above named Charles H Marshall and Henry E. Patrick, partners as Marshall & Patrick, have caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $416.80 returnable on the fourth Monday of September Which suit is now pending. Now, unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the City of Decatur, in said county, and give bail, and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as required by law.

Sept. 16. E McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer commencing at and connecting with a sewer constructed on East Marietta street, at a point opposite the central line of the alley running north and south, between North Main street and North Water street, which said sewer is to be constructed from its said beginning point, south, on the central line of said alley, to the right of way of the Wabash Railway company, together with all Y junctions, entrances, man holes, catch basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto passed by the city council of the said city of Decatur, on the seventh day of September, A. D. 1891, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m of Monday, the fifth day of October. A. D. 1891, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

A bond or certified check to the amount of three hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids

Dated September 1, A D. 1891

L. F SKELLEY, City Clerk

Special Assessment Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessments upon the property benefited by the following local improvement: The construction and laying of a certain sewer, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening on the west side of Union street sewer, at the alley running east and west, between West Main street and West Wood street, which said sewer is to be constructed from said beginning point, westward, on said alley, to a point one hundred and ninety (190) feet west of the west line of Pine street, together with all connections, Y junctions, catch basins, man holes, openings and adjuncts pertaining thereto, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special assessments is in the hands of the undersigned. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially assessed at the collector's office, 247 North Main street, in said city, being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 28th day of August, A. D., 1891.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon county ss. In the circuit court to the September term, 1891, Casper Summerfield and Abraham L Simons, partners as C Summerfield & Co, vs Lansford F. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No 13 940 in attachment. Public notice is hereby given to you Lansford F Butler and Frank W. Dempsey that the above named Casper Summerfield and Abraham L Simons, partners as C. Summerfield & Co, have caused a writ of attachement to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $235 returnable on the fourth Monday of next September Which suit is now pending. Now, unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, in said county, and give bail and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as is provided by law.

Sept 14, 1891. E. McCLELLAN, clerk

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, s s In the Circuit Court To the September Term, 1891, C T Boal Stove Company vs. Lansford F. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No 13907, in attachment. Public notice is hereby given to you, Lansford F. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, that the above named C. T. Boal Stove Company has caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $226 69 returnable on the fourth Monday of next September. Which suit is now pending. Now, unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, in said county, and give bail and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as is provided by law

Sept 14th, 1891 E. McCLELLAN, Clerk

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon county ss In the circuit court to the September term, 1891. Isaac L Amberg and Samuel B Goldberg, partners as Amberg & Co, vs Lansford F Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No 13,910 in attachment. Public notice is hereby given to you Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey that the above named Isaac L Amberg and Samuel B. Goldberg, partners as Amberg & Co., have caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $815 90 returnable on the fourth Monday of next September Which suit is now pending Now, unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891 in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, in said county, and give bail and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as is provided by law

Sept. 14, 1891. E McCLELLAN, clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County s s In the Circuit Court. To the September Term. 1891. Jacob Schnur and Edward B Becker, partners as P. Becker & Co., vs. Lansford F. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No. 13,869, in attachment. Public notice is hereby given to you, Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, that the above named Jacob Schnur and Edward B. Becker, partners as P. Becker & Co, have caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $243 51 returnable on the fourth Monday of next September, Which suit is now pending. Now, unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur. In said county, and give bail and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as is provided by law.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

September 14th. 1891.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, s s In the circuit court of said Macon county, to the September term, A D. 1891 Gerhardt Becker, Henry T. Lange, Louis Lange, and Herman C. Lange, partners as Lange Bros & Co. vs Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No. 13947, in attachment

Public notice is hereby given to you, Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, that the above named Gerhardt Becker, Henry T Lange, Louis Lange and Herman C. Lange, partners as Lange Bros. & Co, have caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $481.67 returnable on the fourth Monday of September. Which suit is now pending. Now, unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, in said county, and give bail and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as is required by law

September 14th E McCLELLAN Clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, s s In the Circuit Court. To the September Term, 1891 The Hamilton Brown Shoe Company vs. Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No 13874, in attachment Public notice is hereby given to you, the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, that the above named The Hamilton Brown Shoe Company has caused a writ of attachment to be sued out of the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county of Macon against you, the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, for the sum of Eighty-four Dollars and Twenty-five Cents, and levied upon your estate, which writ is returnable to the September Term, 1891, of said circuit court, in which said court said suit is now pending Now, unless you, the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of said county on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the 24th day of September, A. D 1891, give bail and plead as required by law to said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you in favor of said plaintiffs and so much of the property attached sold as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment and costs E McCLELLAN. Clerk

September 14th, 1891.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, s s In the Circuit Court To the September Term, 1891. Supplee Hardware Company vs. Lansford F. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No 13918, in attachment. Public notice is hereby given to you, the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, that the above named Supplee Hardware Company has caused a writ of attachment to be sued out of the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county of Macon against you, the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, for the sum of $459.00 and levied upon your estate, which said writ is returnable to the September Term, 1891, of said circuit court, in which said court said suit is now pending Now, unless you, the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of said county, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur in said county, on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, in said county, and give bail and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as required by law.

Sept. 14th, 1891. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk

Publication Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
COUNTY OF MACON. }

County Court of Macon County, to the November term, A. D. 1891.

Mary Halmbacher, administratrix of the estate of Philip Halmbacher, deceased, vs Frank Halmbacher, Peter Halmbacher, Joseph Halmbacher, Sebastian Halmbacher, Anna Wachsenberger, Rosa Halmbacher and the unknown heirs at law of Philip Halmbacher, deceased. — Petition to sell real estate to pay debts.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Joseph Halmbacher, Sebastian Halmbacher, Anna Wachsenberger, Rosa Halmbacher, and the unknown heirs at law of Philip Halmbacher deceased, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Joseph Halmbacher, Sabastian Halmbacher, Anna Wachsenberger, Rosa Halmbacher and the unknown heirs at law of Philip Halmbacher, deceased, that the said plaintiff Mary Halmbacher, as the administratrix of the estate of Philip Halmbacher deceased, has filed her petition in the said county court of Macon county, for an order to sell the premises belonging to the estate of said deceased, or so much of it as may be needed to pay the debts of said deceased, described as follows to-wit: Lots numbers thirteen (13), sixteen (16), seventeen (17) and twenty (20) of S Powers' sub division of lot number six (6) in the west half of the south west quarter of section number twelve (12) in township number sixteen (16) north, in range number two (2) east of the third principal meridian in Macon county and state of Illinois, and that a summons has been issued out of this court against you, returnable at the November term, A D 1891, of said court, to be holden on the first Monday of November, A D 1891, at the court house in the city of Decatur in Macon county, Illinois.

Now, unless you, the said non-resident and unknown defendants shall personally be and appear before said county court of Macon county, on the first day of the term thereof to be holden at the City of Decatur in said county, on the first Monday of November, 1891 and plead answer or demur to the said complainant's petition, filed therein, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill

Decatur, Ill September, 11, 1891

GEORGE P. HARDY, Clerk

A. G. WEBBER, Complainant's solicitor.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, s s. In the Circuit Court To the September Term 1891 Schumacher Sudholt Manufacturing Company vs Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners Butler & Dempsey, No 13911, in attachment Public notice is hereby given to you, the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, that the above named Schumacher and Sudholt Manufacturing Company has caused a writ of attachment to be sued out of the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of said county of Macon against you, the said Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey partners as Butler & Dempsey, for the sum of Fifty Dollars and Thirty five Cents, and levied upon your estate, which said writ is returnable to the September Term, 1891, of said circuit court in which said court said suit is now pending Now, unless you, the said Lansford F Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of said county, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1891, give bail and plead as required by law to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you in favor of said plaintiff, and so much of the property attached sold as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, Illinois, September 14th, 1891

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, s s In the Circuit Court To the September Term, 1891. Julius Sellmer and A. J Morawetz, doing business as the Crystal Soap Company, vs. Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey partners as Butler & Dempsey, No 13 866, in attachment Public notice is hereby given to you, Lansford F. Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler and Dempsey, that the above named Julius Sellmer and A J. Morawetz doing business as the Crystal Soap Company, has caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $65 54 returnable on the fourth Monday of next September Which suit is now pending. Now unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, in said county, and give bail and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as is provided by law

Sept 14th, 1891 E McCLELLAN, Clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, In the Circuit Court To the September Term, 1891 Gauss Shelton Hat Company vs Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No. 13876, in attachment. Public notice is hereby given to you Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, that the above named Gauss Shelton Hat Company has caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $174.50 returnable on the fourth Monday of next September. Which suit is now pending. Now, unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, in said county, and give bail and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you and the estate so attached will be disposed of as is provided by law

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

September 14th, 1891.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon county, ss. In the circuit court to the September term 1891 St Louis Refrigerator and Wooden Gutter company vs Lansford F Butler and Frank W. Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No 13,919 in attachment Public notice is hereby given to you Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, that the above named St. Louis Refrigerator and Wooden Gutter company has caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $174 96 returnable on the fourth Monday of next September. Which suit is now pending Now unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, in said county, and give bail and plead as required by law judgment will be entered against you and the estate so attached will be disposed of as is provided by law.

Sept. 14, 1891 E McCLELLAN, clerk.

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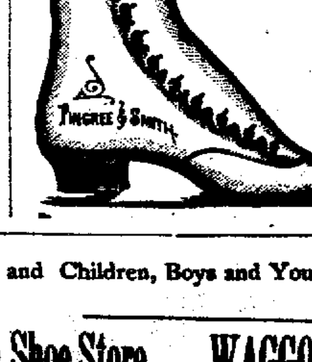

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MORNING REVIEW

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 19, 1891.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Fresh Oysters at Wood's.

New perfumes at Irwin's drug store.

For prompt messenger service, telephone No. 446.

Go to Miss E. Williams' for your stamping and embroidery materials.

Novelties in gent's scarfs at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

Largest assortment of patent medicines and toilet goods at Irwin's pharmacy.

John McAllister will repair your shoes on short notice. Give him a trial. Tabernacle building.

New line of stamped linens at Miss E. Williams'.

Henry Bros.' bakery is the place for a good meal or lunch. Bread delivered to any part of the city.

New millinery goods at Miss E. Williams.

Beautiful blankets very cheap at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company.

Our fast black hose will not fade, and will outwear any that has yet been produced. LINN & SCRUGGS D. G. & C. Co.

Large assortment of
FUR RUGS
just received at Linn & Scrugg's Dry Goods and Carpet company.

The new undertaker, J. A. Reeve & Co., west side old square, have completed their stock and are now prepared to furnish the finest caskets of all styles with elegant funeral equipage.

We bought our piano, the Haines, believing it to be a strictly high grade instrument. After several years of constant use we have no reason to change our opinion, and are more than satisfied with our choice.

You will find the best carpets, latest and most desirable styles, and lowest prices at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

Prof. William S. Nees, teacher of violin, cornet and piano. For terms write or call at 272 West Main street.

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Go to George P. Hart for all kinds of upholstering. Library block.

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Put a Number on Your House.

In compliance with a resolution adopted at the last meeting of the city council, I hereby give notice to all property owners in the city who have not complied with the ordinance requiring that numbers shall be placed on all residences and business houses, that they do so at once and avoid trouble and extra expense. Information as to requirements and proper number may be secured without expense on application to City Clerk Skelley. See that the proper number is put on your old or new house at once. W. W. MASON, City Marshal.

Gypsum City, Saline County, Kan.,

is where the clay is ground and calcined of which the Acme Cement Wall Plaster is made. 500 per cent harder than the hardest lime job. Drying thoroughly in 36 hours in freezing weather. Seventy-five houses are plastered with it in Decatur. The new St. Nicholas and the new court house will be plastered with it throughout. You cannot afford to use anything else at the price. Call and let us show you the Acme. V. H. PARKE & SON, Sole Agents.

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Notice.

The Decatur Gas Lt & C. Co. hereby give notice that all wiring for electric light must be inspected before closed in, as the said company will not furnish light to any persons until wiring has been inspected and found correctly and safely wired.

To Housekeepers.

It is true economy to have a good carpet sweeper. It saves carpets, furniture, and above all it saves time and patience. The "Charm" or "Ohio" does all that. They are the best sweepers on the market and can be had at the Lytle & Eckles Hardware Company's store.

You Can Get

choice Michigan peaches, crab apples, Damson plums and Lima beans at the Economy grocery today.

To Whom it May Concern.

The old sewer from North street to West Main street is abandoned. All parties interested are notified to make connections with the Union street sewer.

Teeth Eight Dollars.

Hoskins & Moore still make $8 plates. Crown and bridge work a specialty.

You Can Get

choice Michigan peaches, crab apples, Damson plums and Lima beans at the Economy grocery today.

Do You Want

Something fine in fruits go the I. B. Fritz, or telephone 346. He has a good supply and is selling cheap.

The Grand Opera

is the best 5 cent cigar in the city. Try it. KECK & WEIGAND, manufacturers.

STILL THE GREATEST.

The Barnum and Bailey Show Better Than Ever Before.

Barnum's is still "the greatest." The old showman is dead, but those who have taken up his work after him keep right along making progress. The performances they gave yesterday convinced those who were present that the circus was never so great as it is today. Everything is done on a larger and more bewildering scale than it was last season. Three rings are not enough now. In addition there must be two smaller stages, a large one, a race track, and room besides for trapezes and slack wire tackle until you can't rest.

You can't see all of the show unless you possess the property of ubiquity and have a hundred eyes, every one of them wide open. You give up your 50 cents and then spread yourself on the sights for more than three hours. When time is up you are conscious that you have seen about $5 worth and that you have missed about $10 worth. The only way for you to play the good thing for all there is in it is to go early in the afternoon, hurry home to supper and then take in the evening performance.

Barnum & Bailey's circus might be called a world's fair. You can see, there, nearly everything that is unique, clever or startling. There is more in the menagerie alone than is written in our zoologies: more in the circus than you ever dreamed of.

Perhaps the most noticeable feature about the Barnum & Bailey show is the novelty of everything you see. The old menagerie burned out nearly a year ago; it became necessary to gather material for a new one. The experience of J. A. Bailey and his agents made it possible for them to gather specimens about which there was something distinguishing. The collection of animals from all parts of the world is undoubtedly the most complete and valuable so far shown.

This novelty is carried into the circus. It was said by an agent of the show that of all the artists that appeared yesterday only one was ever before seen in Decatur. And the youth of the performers, and in fact of nearly all those connected with the show in any way, was something novel, very novel. There must have been 1,100 or 1,200 people connected with the show in one way and another. In this entire crowd there wasn't a single broken-down hack, nor any that were weather beaten.

The order that is kept in every part of the big tents is also worthy of notice. If a man in the reserved seat department dropped into the wrong chair there was sure to be somebody to remind him of the fact before he found a place to hang his feet.

Undoubtedly the grandest piece of traveling scenery, and most wonderful production on the road is the daily presentation of "Nero, or the Destruction of Rome," as presented at the Barnum & Bailey circus under the direct supervision of the man who has made modern spectacular productions what they are today.

There are in "Nero" 100 ballet girls. The costumes worn by these are as fine as any ever seen in Decatur. The man who designed them was paid $2.000 for his work. The material is silk; the colors are all that are known, and somehow or other they are made to blend as beautifully as they do in the rainbow. "Nero" is the crowning piece of the greatest show that has ever gone on wheels.

The press agent, F. L. Perley, is also a novelty. His specialty is gentlemanly agreeableness. If he has any superior at this it would be an event in one's life to run across the man. Members of THE REVIEW force consider themselves indebted to him for many kindnesses.

A ROUND DOZEN.

That is Yesterday's Business Done by the New Culver Monument Co.

Yesterday was a field day for the Culver Monument company. They sold a monument to each of the following: To Samuel Westhofer one of the finest Georgia monuments ever sent out from Decatur, standing nearly 10 feet high, for his family lot in B. S. cemetery; Thomas Lord of Decatur a splendid family monument of purple Swede granite, for his family lot in Mt. Gilead cemetery; George Lee, Bement; Charles Reimer, Blue Mound; J. Burt, Centralia; L. T. Nordyke, Assumption; C. P. Scott, Mt. Zion; A. Braden, Assumption; S. G. West, Mowaqua; J. Young, Cisco; H. Jeffords; G. W. Cunningham, Elwin.

A Justice of the Peace Convicted.

'Squire Reuben Landis, a former justice of the peace at Atwood, Douglas county was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years for burglary and grand larceny at Monticello last Friday. He and C. B. Mitzon, aided by Henry Campbell, have been carrying on systematic stealing from the business firms at Atwood. The firm of Shelberger & Robinson had the parties arrested. 'Squire Landis has been also indicted for perjury.

Illinois Mine Inspectors.

The board of examiners appointed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics to pass upon the competency of candidates for positions as State Mine Inspectors yesterday concluded an examination of a class of 14, 10 passing. The following were the highest: Walton Rutledge, Alton; Quintain Quirk Braidwood, James Freer, Peoria; Thomas Hudson, Galva, and J. G. Massey. The four first named are at present state inspectors.

THE MAN WITH A THUMB.

Real Estate Transfers.

I. John B. Carey of Wichita, Kan., to Will A. Steidly, deed to eight lots in Maroa; $1,600.

Edward L. Martin to Etta M. Van Hook, an out lot in the north part of town; $1,500.

Samuel A. Nesbitt to Athalinda Billings, deed to two out lots in the Western addition of Decatur; $300.

THE MAN WITH A THUMB.

What They Will Have.

If you want something real nice for your Sunday dinner, go around to May & Churchman's. They will have all kinds of fruits, oysters, celery, egg plant, cauliflower and in fact everything. There is nothing in the grocery or fruit line that they will not have

THE MAN WITH A THUMB.

Will Be on Time.

We have made special arrangements to have all orders delivered promptly today. If you need anything and don't want to come up-town, telephone No. 1.
MAY & CHURCHMAN,
211 North Water street.

THE MAN WITH A THUMB.

Dont Miss It.

Dont miss seeing May & Churchman's display of fruits today. It is an undisputed fact that they have the nicest show windows of any grocery store in the city. Dont fail to notice them today when you are up-town.

THE MAN WITH A THUMB.

INUNDATED

The Water Works Have Fun with Linn & Scrugg's Cloaks.

Some time during Thursday night one of the main water pipes on the second floor of an adjoining building caused a flood of water to flow into the cloak room of the Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company's store. It was a very bad accident and was not discovered until the store was opened yesterday morning. The water had run through the ceiling, wetting hundreds of valuable cloaks and blankets. However it is thought no serious damage was done, still they will probably dispose of them at reduced prices next week. Somebody will evidently be held responsible for the damage done to the goods.

We Will Be There.

Decatur Canton No. 19, I. O. O. F., goes to St. Louis next Monday morning to take part in the parade of cantons, encampments and lodges that will be had in that city next Monday in connection with the session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge. Decatur Canton will also take part in the prize drill to be held at the fair grounds in St. Louis next Tuesday. In this drill $1,000 goes to "the best drilled canton, drilling not less than three officers and 18 File Chevaliers." There is a second prize of $500 in the same drill.

General order No. 4., sent out by the proper officers of the Patriarchs Militant, division of the Mississippi, has the following rule in regard to those who may enter these drills:

"The contest for merit shall be open to battalions, cantons, officers and chevaliers, in good standing, throughout the entire army, who shall appear fully equipped in full dress uniform according to regulations."

In other words, the drill is open to all cantons that have kept up to the times.

Decatur Canton will appear on the drill ground with 21 men. The officers are: Captain, Newt Davis; first lieutenant, L. W. Fribourg: ensign, Harry Midkiff.

This canton has been practicing for this drill for the last four weeks, and is certain that Decatur will have reason to be proud of the work done by our boys in St. Louis. At least 12 of the crack cantons of the country will compete in this drill. The strongest competitors our canton will have are the Occidental and Excelsoir cantons from Marion, Ind., that will give lots of trouble. Cantons from nearly all the states of the Mississippi Valley will compete. But when the result is announced you can look for Decatur's name somewhere near the head of the list.

The Other Side.

The members of Jane's Chapel who are standing by Rev. Bradshaw propose to try their hands at taking possession. They have issued the following statement in explanation of their position:

EDITORS REVIEW.—The article in yesterday morning's papers are likely to lead to a misconception of the facts in reference to the Jane's Chapel controversy, which are the following; Rev. Bradshaw was given permission by the trustees of Janes' Chapel society to build the parsonage and to continue divine services, and to administer the sacraments to the society, which they were deprived of by the conference having failed to assign them a pastor in 1889. Rev. Bradshaw's action in the matter was by special request of the members of the society and a majority of the trustees. The statements in the papers are likely to create the impression that the parties who forcibly took possession of the chapel yesterday are still trustees of the society, which is not the case, they not even being members of the same, having withdrawn from the society and associated themselves with the First M. E. church. The present board claiming to have full jurisdiction of the property, they have consequently removed the locks placed on the doors yesterday, and, Providence permitting, will hold prayer meeting this evening and divine services and Sunday school as usual Sunday. All the present board of directors and members of the society desire is their rights in the matter and to control that which legally belongs to them.

By the official board: Louis G. Tresh, J. S. Hughes, J. T. Finley, William A. Miller, William H. Wells, James H. Abrams.

Quick Work.

Anthony & Webb, proprietors of the furnishing store on East Main street, have broken the record in the matter of getting ready in a hurry to do business. They had to wait for their room until Ottenheimer & Co. were moved out. The room was turned over at 8 o'clock Thursday morning. Anthony & Webb had their goods stored in a warehouse just behind the store room.

Just as soon as they got the store room they put a force of men, boys and girls at work moving the stock from the warehouse. By 2 o'clock of the afternoon of the same day they made some sales. They worked away like beavers until past midnight, Thursday. As a result they were ready for the trade that came in yesterday morning with circus day. It is not often you can see a large stock of goods properly arranged, marked and displayed for sale in less than 24 hours. The young men who engineered the job may be needed in Chicago to get the World's fair ready in time.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

George Bell is rapidly convalescing.

Mrs. James Simpson of Clinton was a visitor yesterday.

James Heneberry of Dalton City was here to the show yesterday.

Albert Mowery of Forsythe was here yesterday attending the show.

William Clifton of Argenta was seen upon our streets yesterday.

Bob Spalding, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is improving.

Bert Staro of Sibley is the guest of Shell Reeme on West Main street.

Miss Lillie Wengenroth of Monticello is if the guest of Miss Bradshaw.

Mrs. Parks of Clinton is the guest of Mr. McGowan of West King street.

Miss Tillie Heil of Maroa was visiting her brother Dr. H. D. Heil yesterday.

Emmett Noble of Champaign is here, assisting Ottenheimers in their opening.

T. O. Reeme and daughter Miss Bessie will return today from a brief visit in Chicago.

Earlie, Annie and Emma Black have returned from Ohio where they have been visiting.

J. C. Flannigan, grain dealer of White Heath, was here yesterday to see the elephant.

Miss Ella Badenhausen departed yesterday for Peru, Ind., to visit Miss Minnie Potter.

Mrs. E. H. Thomas who has been visiting her sister Mrs. W. L. Dumont, has returned to Argenta.

Mrs. W. S. Randal has returned from Auburn after a visit to her son Charles who is sick.

Miss Pet Osborn left last night for Indianapolis, Ind., where she will visit Mrs. W. P. Knode.

Miss Ora Downs of Shelbyville and Miss Rocky of Assumption are the guests of Miss Ella McRoberts.

Miss Hattie Chaney leaves this morning for her home at Streator after a visit with friends and relatives here.

Percival Chobb arrived last night from Brooklyn and will remain here for two weeks the guest of Dr. Walston.

George E. Peters is home from Columbus, O., where he had been assisting in poling 28 miles of electric street car wire.

The infant son of George W. Handy is now entirely out of danger. The child ran a rusty nail in its hand some time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Millikin and daughter Mrs. S. P. McWhorter and children are visiting relatives in Bloomington for a few days.

Miss Carrie Knapp has returned from Argent, where she was visiting her aunt Mrs. Currier. She has resumed her position in A. F. Ross' store.

J. E. Patterson returned last night from Chicago. He has been there for two weeks past purchasing goods for the new store in the Arcade block.

Miss Jennie Montgomery left for Bement where she will join Miss Madge Haldeman and from there they will go to Ivesdale and give a musical and recital Saturday evening, Sept. 19.

The Greatest War Drama.

Of "Shenandoah," which is to be presented at the Grand next Monday evening, a New York dramatic paper has the following to say:

"Shenandoah" has created the greatest enthusiasm in all the large cities in the country, with the exception of Boston. Its record has been really remarkable, and it has made a fortune for its authors and the managers."

"Theatre-goers will be especially interested in the play, as it was sent from here without the endorsement of this public. In plain English it was a failure at the Museum, where it was given its first production on any stage. Manager Field, Manager A. M. Palmer, Manager T. Henry French, and all the local cities, without an exception, decided that "Shenandoah" was a failure. Mr. Howard, the author, agreed that the verdict was just, but he saw better than any one else where his drama was weak, and at once went to work to remedy the faults. Manager Charles Frohman, who saw the possibilities of the play, secured it, and it has made him rich.

Audiences here do not differ so very much from audiences in other big American cities, and it is safe to say that this play, which was received with great enthusiasm in New York, Chicago and other cities, will be given an equally fine reception here. It is practically a new play which is offered for tomorrow evening, and the greatest play dealing with the war of the rebellion."

They Will Wed.

The wedding invitations announcing the marriage of Dr. Everett Brown of this city, and Miss Rebecca Brown, daughter of Dr. Loyd W. Brown of Jacksonville, are out. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride 806 West State street at 8 p.m., on Oct. 1.

Marriage Licenses.

John A. Draper, Mt. Zion	34
Nolie M. Vowill, Mt. Zion	16
Joseph W. Boggs, Arthur	31
Rebecca Dover, Arthur	27

Pastry Without Butter.

Light, flaky and digestible pie crust and all kinds of fine pastry can be made with Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder without butter or with one half the usual portion, if preferred, or with a small quantity of lard or other shortening as desired. Pie crust made in this way is more wholesome and digestible besides being more economical and easier prepared in addition to saving all the butter if desired. One-third the flour is also dispensed with, and the crust is rolled that much thinner, the raising qualities of Dr. Price's Powder swelling it to the requisite thickness. Those who enjoy the appetizing qualities of the delicious home made pie will rejoice to know this secret.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is the only powder that contains the white of eggs.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is reported by all authorities as free from Ammonia, Alum, or any other adulterant. In fact, the purity of this ideal powder has never been questioned.

LATEST FALL NOVELTIES

Now on Exhibition at

LINN & SCRUGGS

DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

The increasing Trade of our house has caused us to make extra exertions for this season. We have spared no pains or expense to secure one of the finest stocks of Foreign and Domestic Novelties possible to obtain.

Our Assortment of

DRESS -:- GOODS -:- AND -:- SILKS.

Is the most extensive in styles and colors. Every desirable weave in almost endless variety. Paris Robe Patterns, Bedford Cords, French Beatrice and Foule Cloth, All Wool and Silk warp Henriettas Mohairs, Serges, Novelty Plaids and Stripes, Faille France, Peau de Soi, Surahs, Armures, and the Golden Rule Black Gros Grain Silks.

OUR

CLOAK DEPARTMENT

Far excels any previous efforts, and for exclusive styles and beauty of designs we cannot be approached. We have elegant lines of Capes, Sealette and Plush Garments, Plain and Fur Trimmed Jackets and everything new in children's long and short garments.

CARPETS.

We have at present the largest and handsomest stock of Carpets ever shown before in this market. Roxbury and Smith's Tapestries, Moquettes, Velvets, Royal Axminsters, Body Brussels and Lowell Ingrains. We only ask an examination of our elegant stock with the assurance that a comparison of our prices with those of other houses, will convince all that our prices are the lowest and our goods the best.

LINN & SCRUGGS

DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

A Confidential Chat

TO PROSPECTIVE BUYERS OF BOOTS AND SHOES.

Ferriss & Lapham have a few points to which they wish to call general attention. The big wholesale house of L. L. Ferriss & Co., of Chicago, (of which the Decatur store is the retail branch) got too enthusiastic over the crop prospects this year. They read about the shortage of crops in Europe and the immense yield in this country, and all the talk about a revival of business till they bacame over sanguine and bought twice as many boots and shoes for the fall trade as they ever did before.

The question with them is, "how to dispose of these goods." Only one course practicable and that is to send them to the retail branch at Decatur, put the prices down to where the people can't help buying.

In other words, they have to unload and propose to give the people of Central Illinois the benefit. Ferriss & Lapham never deceive the public by misrepresentations and when a special offering of this kind is made the people may bank upon every promise being carried out and the people know it, This is a genuine benefit sale.

THESE GOODS ARE ALL NEW.

Thousands of dollars worth of goods must be sold in sixty days and the people will get the benefit. This may be a little hard on our competitors but the dear people wont care for this. They are looking for the best values for their money and we will give it to them.

—THE—

Ferriss & Lapham
Shoe Store,

148 E. Main St. Decatur.

UNION DEPOT TIME CARD.

In effect August 6, 1891.

Wabash Railway.

TO CHICAGO.	FROM CHICAGO
No. 2..........12:06 a m	No. 1 (Ex Sun) 9:50 p m
No. 4..........11:25 a m	No. 3.......... 3:3[illegible]
No. 6 (Ex Sun) 6:35 a m	No. 5.......... 3:60 p m
TO ST. LOUIS.	FROM ST. LOUIS.
No. 9.......... 6:30 a m	No. 10.......... 8:45 p m
No. 3.......... 3:45 a m	No. 4..........[illegible] a m
No. 43.......... 4:06 a m	No. 44..........11:10 a m
No. 45.......... 3:06 p m	No. 43..........10:15 p m
No. 5.......... 2:55 p m	No. 2..........11:55 p m
No. 71 frt.... 5:45 a m	No. 70 frt.... 5:[illegible] p m
TO TOLEDO	FROM TOLEDO
No. 46.......... 6:[illegible] a m	No. 43.......... 3:50 a m
No. 44..........11:15 a m	No. 45.......... 1:55 p m
No. 42..........10:[illegible] p m	No. 41.......... 9:00 p m
No. 46 Efling. 8:15 p m	No. 47 Efling. 10:[illegible] a m
TO QUINCY, ETC.	FROM QUINCY, ETC.
No 43..........4:30 a m	No 43..........10:10 p m
No 44..........3:10 p m	No 44..........10:30 a m
No 1..........9:07 p m	No 6.......... 6:[illegible] a m
No 47 Bluffs 6:45 a m	No 48 Bluffs 7:05 p m
No 71 Frt.... 1:00 p m	No 70 Frt.... 10:[illegible] a m

Ind. Decatur & Western.

ARRIVE.	DEPART.
No 1..........2:35 p m	No 2..........11:16 a m
No 3..........3:55 a m	No 4..........10:23 p m
Freight........9:30 a. m.	

Terre Haute & Peoria.

EAST.	WEST.
No 2..........2:55 p m	No 1..........11:45 a m
No 4..........7:00 a m	No 3 arr.......7:00 p m
No 6 arv...... 9:00 p m	No 7 frtarv...4:50 p m
No 8 frt leav..4:40 a m	No 9 frt...... 4:30 a m
No 10 arv.... 8:50 p m	No 5 leav..... 6:30 a m

Illinois Central.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No 2 pass.....9:10 a m	No 1 pass... 4:50 p m
No 4 pass..... 9:30 p m	No 3 pass...10.30 a m
No 12 accom....2:40 p m	No 13 frt..... 7:[illegible] a m
No 14 freight..5:35 p m	

No 3 Champ'n Line, arrives..........10:00 a m
No 4 " " leaves..........3:15 p m

Peoria, Decatur & Evansville.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No 2 leav.......2:19 p m	No 1 leav... 11:00 a m
No 4 leav.......6:55 a m	No 3 leav... 10:15 p m
No 14 frt...... 10:45 a m	No 11 fr't.....[illegible] p m

EXCURSIONS.

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

One fare excursion.

ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION—Rate from Decatur for the round trip will be $5. This includes admission ticket to exposition. Tickets will be sold commencing Sept. 3, on each Monday and Thursday following during exposition. Tickets good going on date of sale only. Good returning five days from date of sale.

ST. LOUIS FAIR—Round trip rate from Decatur, $4.05, including admission ticket to fair, except that on Tuesday, Oct. 6, Veiled Prophet day, tickets will be sold for $3.55 round trip. Tickets on sale Oct, 34 to 10th, inclusive, good for going passage on date of sale only. Good returning up to and including Oct. 12.

HOME Visitors Excursion, Tuesday, Sept. 22 to all points in Indiana, Ohio and Michigan at our lowest first class fare for the round trip tickets good for 30 days.
F. W. GREENE, Ticket Agent, 142 E Prairie.

P. D. & E. EXCURSION FOR the third annual tournament of the Peoria Bicycle Club. The P. D. & E. railroad will sell excursion tickets on Sept. 16 to 19 inclusive to Peoria at one and one-third fare. Good returning up to Sept. 22.

FOR THE STATE FAIR—The P D & E will sell excursion tickets to Peoria at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale on Sept. 27 to Oct. 3 inclusive, good going on date of sale and returning leaving Peoria not later than Oct 5.

HARVEST EXCURSIONS—Via the P D & E route, on Aug. 25, Sept. 15 and 29 to the southwest, west and northwest. Round trip tickets good for 30 days, rate as low as the lowest, through chair cars to Kansas City and other points, for rates and further information be sure to call or write and secure your seats to save being crowded as there will be large crowds going on that date.

HARVEST EXCURSION—On Sept. 15 and 29 the P D & E will sell excursion tickets to points west, northwest and southwest $9.40 to Kansas City and St. Joe, Mo., for the round trip. Through chair cars from Decatur to Kansas City. For rates and tickets call on T. Peniwell, 150 Library block, or C. Judson, Union depot.

BOOK BINDING.

Practical book binding and blank book manufacturing, 157 South Water street, Decatur, Ill. Magazines bound, names stamped in gold on books, pocket-books, memorandum books, toilet cases, etc. I make telescope boxes and any kind of pasteboard boxed to order. HERMAN SPIES.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

THE PRUDENT MOTHER

Is now Getting the Boy's Clothing Ready for the Beginning of School.

A Word of Advice.

The Finest Assortment in the City of Children's Clothing and at Prices that are sure to please can be found at

Cheap Charley's.

All Summer Goods at "Clear 'Em Out" Prices. Fall Goods Arriving Daily.

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POWERS'

Yes! Yes!

Mens', Women and Childrens' FOOTWEAR,

At Astonishingly Low Prices. We have to do it to Make Room for our Big Fall Stock of

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers

Which are now being Received. Give us a call and be convinced.

Freeman Brothers,

144 Merchant St. : Old Square.

THE HATFIELD MILLING CO.

Manufacture the Celebrated

WHITE FOAM —AND— WHITE BREAD FLOUR

For sale by all leading grocers. None better in the market. All kinds of mill feed. Highest Market price paid for wheat.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.

Are pleased to announce that by changes and alterations we have added greatly to the space in our store room, making it one of the largest and best in the city As heretofore

OUR GREAT SPECIALTIES ARE DRESS GOODS AND MILLINERY

All our goods are selected with the greatest care, bought for spot cash and sold at a moderate Profit, which, with our economy in running expenses, makes a safe and satisfactory trading place,

Our Millinery Department.

Miss Annie McDonald in charge, stands at the head. Our goods are the best that money will buy, selected with care and judgment, made up with exquisite taste and ability. Entire satisfaction guaranteed Careful inspection solicited,

S. G. Hatch & Bro.

143 E. Main st.

Boston Store,

143 North Water Street

THREE BARGAINS IN DRESS GOODS.

15 pieces 38 in. Tricot, 15c yard.

20 pieces 42 in. Bourette, 25c yard.

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In looking for

DRESS GOODS

You will find the Boston Store selection and prices all right.

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MORNING REVIEW

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MATTERS OF FACT.

Oysters in all styles at Wood's.

Fresh oysters at Singleton's.

"Maggie's Secret" at Irwin's pharmacy

The first oysters of the season at Wood's.

Crepe tissue papers at Irwin's pharmacy.

Smoke the Pansy and Headless cigars, made by H. Yaeck & Co. There are none better.

French tissue papers at Irwin's pharmacy.

A good cook wanted at 456 North Main street, corner Eldorado. Wages $3. No washing.

Bookkeeping at Night.

The best and cheapest instruction in bookkeeping at Brown's Decatur Business college, Library building. Opens Monday night, Sept. 28.

Pumps.

Wood pumps, chain pumps, and iron force pumps at the Spencer & Lehman Co.'s.

The Night School.

At Brown's Decatur Business college will open Monday, Sept. 28, at 7 p. m. Advantages better and expenses lower than ever before offered. For full information call at the college, library building, or address the principal, E. P. IRVING

91 and Gem

are the best 5-cent cigars in Decatur. If you want a nice pleasant cigar smoke the 91 or Gem, manufactured by A. D. Holland

Abel's Carpet House

Makes a specialty of novelties in the line of carpets, wall paper, curtains, linoleums, Chinese and Japanese mattings and silks, curtain poles, room mouldings, heavy drapery and upholstery goods Prices always the lowest.

The Best.

Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigar, it is the best. Manufactured by Keck & Weigand.

Pumps.

You can get all kinds of pumps of the Spencer & Lehman Co. Their prices are always the lowest.

CONSTABLES MAY ACT

For the Purpose of Serving Venires in City Cases.

Attorney J. J. Finn has secured a decision in Justice Hammer's court that probably amounts to an innovation in J. P. practice in cases where the city is concerned Heretofore it has been the practice when a man was arrested for violation of a city ordinance to give the venire for a jury to some city official to serve. This practice has always given the city too much of an advantage.

The city arrests the man, it picks out the justice before whom the case shall be tried, and lastly it has wanted to choose the jury The attorneys have done more or less complaining about this for some time. They say that the city has an undue advantage in even picking the court. This enables the city officials to throw their J. P. business wherever they please If they dont get decisions to suit them from any justice they take their business away from him. This is a lever to force favorable decisions in anything like close cases.

The only appeal from this state of affairs is to a jury If the city officials are to have the choosing of the jury the appeal becomes only a jump from the pan into the fire.

The case of Decatur vs John McGraw came up in Justice Hammer's court on preliminary motions a few days ago J J Finn asked for a jury of 12; and he further asked that the venire be given to someone not a city official to serve. City Attorney McDonald resisted the motion in every way he could. For a while he contended that the city officers were the only proper persons to serve the venire The statutes decided that point against McDonald. Then he took the way-up position that a rule allowing others to serve the venire would be an uncalled for slam at the city officers Mac wanted the earth

Justice Hammer could not see that there was any censure of the city officers in permitting some other person to pick a jury to try a case in which they were interested. He ruled that the venire should be given to some other proper officer, some constable

This case against John McGraw is one in which a jury will play an important part It will come up for trial on the 25th inst

The List Completed

Since the incomplete list of students who will attend college was published in THE REVIEW several weeks past, new names have been heard of from all sides of those who will attend. Other schools will be represented by our students that have not had a representative from here Some young men have given up a business occupation to attend school again. All the finest schools in the country, among them Ann Arbor, Harvard, Yale, Leland Sanford Junior, Wells, Smith and others, are represented

Some of our young people go this year as seniors and return with diplomas, while others attend this year for the first time The following are the names of the students and the schools which they will attend

Edgar Coleman, Leland Sanford Junior
Charles Coffeen, Virginia Military Academy
Frank Hopkins, Champaign
Edwin Howes, Washington University
Jennette Chambers, Galesburg, Ill
Hayden Veech, Valparaiso, Ind
Charles Kinsman, Orchard Lake Military
Margaret Roberts, Bergan Point, N J
John L Clark, Union Theological Seminary
Oscar Mueller, Champaign
Frank P. Martin, Ann Arbor
David Tait, Champaign
Alice Bering, Wells college.

These names complete a list of almost 65

Something New in Parties

Mrs. C A Ewing gave a new kind of party last evening It was called a circus party. Invitations were sent to about 40 people The program included a picnic and an evenning at the circus The ladies of the party were to furnish filled baskets for the picnic Of course this part was carried out enthusiastically and elegantly The picnic was had on Mrs C. A Ewing's lawn. This occupied the time from 4 o'clock until circus hour came along. Then Mrs Ewing presented each of the party with a ticket of general admission to the "greatest show on earth." It was the business of the gentlemen to buy the reserved seats That was all they had to do during the evening This is what an ordinary man would call a snap with bright wings. The gentleman did the part that was turned over to them

In the party were some people who live out of town. The Nukwango fishing party was present in a body. All expressed themselves as delighted with the new variety of party.

THE MAN WITH A THUMB

A $500 Valve.

H Mueller & Sons are making another regulating or reducing valve for Ogden, Utah. This is a 16 inch valve, the largest size that has been made so far The valve when finished will weigh about 5 000 pounds and will cost Ogden about $500.

That city has a water works system that is supplied from a reservoir on the mountains. The pressure becomes enormous at times, bursting mains all over the city It is something like the experience we had when we had no engine and the fire pressure was put on The valve which H. Mueller & Sons are making is intended to reduce this pressure It is like the valves that are used in many of the houses in Decatur, only of course larger.

The same firm made a similar valve for Ogden several months ago. The city authorities there have tried it, and we may know how they are pleased from the fact that a second one has been ordered

THE MAN WITH A THUMB.

Bishop Ryan's Residence.

The contract for the work on the new residence to be erected for Bishop Ryan, northeast corner of Seventh and Cass streets, in Springfield, has been awarded to Elshoff & Miller of that city. The contract price was $25,964, and that includes the entire cost of the building, except the steam heating, which has not yet been arranged for. Work was commenced Thursday and the excavation was staked off. It is expected that the building will be well under way before cold weather sets in.

Born

To Mr. and Mrs T. A. Nicholson, at their home 749 North Church street, Sept. 16 A son

The
Man
With
A Thumb.

Shorthand and Longhand Cheap

The best and cheapest instruction ever offered in this city in penmanship, shorthand and typewriting can be had at Brown's Decatur Business college night school. Opens Monday night, Sept. 28.

THE MAN WITH A THUMB.

DIDN'T WAIT TO HEAR IT.

The Blond Young Man and the Talkative Stranger

A large middle aged man with a kind of how are you everybody look on his big round face stepped into a South Side street car yesterday morning and sat down by the side of a laddery youth whom after a few remarks of a preliminary nature pertaining to the weather, he addressed in this style

'I reckon you were born and raised a blond, warn t you young man?"

'I—I suppose so ' answered the other

I don't often make mistakes about things of that kind ' rejoined the large man heartily I can spot a blond as far as I can see him And there's another curious thing about that,' he added, turning half round in his seat crossing one leg over the other, and growing confidential 'Nature never makes any mistakes either When nature gives a young fellow a sort o pinky skin and light brown hair she doesn t give him a blue black mustache That's why' —

The slender youth hastily crossed the car and sat down on the other side

'You re right ' said the cheerful, middle aged party, following him over It s altogether too sunny on that side Now this thing of a blue black mustache on a blond face you know with light eyebrows and —

"I d like to know what difference " interrupted the now painfully blond young man fiercely ' it makes to you —

Certainly, certainly That's what I was coming to Lord bless you, I ve got a nephew nearly as old as you are I reckon, and he s got a regular sponge cake complexion, you know—one of these tallowy, waxy sort of skins that go with light tow colored hair They call him Sorreltop Well that chucklehead went up town one day and paid a barber a quarter to dye his mustache When he got home —

"Say! Look here What do I care about your nephew"—

'That s just exactly what I m getting at He had a blue black mustache like yours and he looked like —

Conductor yelled the young man "let me off at the next crossing!'

'And he looked like a streak of perdition on a full moon ' continued the middle aged man pleasantly 'No, sir, I tell you young chap —

But the young chap without waiting for the next crossing jumped off

Flop! Kerflop Kerhopflop!

The car was going at the rate of twelve miles an hour

When he picked himself up he felt of his blue black mustache to see if it was all there

Then he picked up his hat

And he stood in the middle of the track and swore at the flying cable car until he had to get out of the way for the next one —Chicago Tribune

Dust Proof Windows

Bachman Bros are making alterations in their show windows that almost amount to a new front for the building The fine show window is becoming quite a feature of Decatur s retail trade. You can see windows in town now the equal of which you could not have found in Chicago a few years ago

The windows at Bachman Bros have been lengthened by cutting out two or three feet of masonry from the base. Some of the brick work that made up the old front has been taken out just enough remaining to insure the safety of the building Fine plate glass will take the place of all the masonry and wood work that has been removed

Another feature of these show windows is that they will be made dust proof This result is obtained by putting in more glass A second set of plate glass windows will be put in several feet back of the front windows Then the sides will be closed up with glass and there you are with a show window that can be entered by nothing but light, or some man who is onto the combination The proprietors say that such a window wil be just the thing to preserve goods that are displayed As it is only the finest goods that usually get this distinction the windows will soon save their cost

A Pleasing Growth

The attendance at the Decatur Business college this year is very gratifying to the men who are pushing the work The president, George W Brown, was in Decatur a few days ago and had something to say on the subject. When asked how the attendance at the opening this year compares with that of former years he replied that it is as great this year as the aggregate of the first two years There are between 75 and 80 students in attendance And this is the time of year when the farmer boys do not flock to business colleges in any great numbers

Mr Brown said that the money spent in Decatur by the students who will come here from the outside will become an important item from a business point of view. The item is not of such importance in a city like Decatur as it is in one like Jacksonville, yet Mr Brown thinks that we should take it into account in figuring up the resources of this city. In the course of the year there will be about 200 students enrolled at the college The champion of some protected industry would cough up a great howl about bringing that number of people into a community Mr Brown just modestly mentions the fact

The Decatur Hunting Party.

The Decatur hunting party composed of W. B Chambers I Baldwin H C. Johns, D S Shellabarger, W. H Starr, Dr Cass Chenoweth, C P Thatcher, C B Prescott, V H Parke, William Traver and Dr W J Chenoweth, have completed all arrangements for their regular fall hunt and, excepting Dr W J. Chenoweth and Mr Shellabarger, left last night for Waucedah, Mich The latter gentlemen will join the party later on. Messrs. Campbell and Perkins of Cincinnati who are now in Montana will also join them at their camp. Joe Powell will administer to the gastronomical wants of those who wish refreshments Dr Chenoweth will serve out quinine to keep away the ague They will be absent a month or more They will abide by the customary rule, that he who kills the first deer will be captain in charge.

The Squire Was Obdurate.

Ed Hershey's wife is now doing what she can to secure the release of her husband He is the man who was sent to jail a few days ago for disorderly conduct and general cussedness Squire Provost sent him there until a little fine of $20 and costs should be paid This was crowding eternity into the ditch, but the Squire did it without so much as a smile.

One reason why Hershey was arrested and sent to jail was because he had developed a hankering to beat his wife. And now she is the first to come forward to beg for his release. It was represented to 'Squire Provost that if Hershey were released he could get work which would bring in enough money to pay the fine and costs. Provost did not think it best to further crowd the labor market at this season of the year. Hershey remains about $23 away from liberty.

STRAY SCRAPS.

The
Man
With
a Thumb

Officer Mehon of the levee police took up a common drunk last night.

The Opera house orchestra goes to Vandalia Sept. 30, to play for a ball.

The erection of Catholic churches at Dalton City and St. Isidor has begun.

These are the kind of days when the good have no advantage over the wicked.

The holiness people of Decatur will hold a meeting at Sangamon tonight and all day Sunday and Sunday night.

Thomas Carroll sold an 80 acre farm in Friend's Creek township yesterday to Edward Reeves at $65 an acre.

The Sunday school teachers of Grace M. E. church will meet at the residence of Dr J S. King, in Library block this evening.

A O Brewer paid a fine of $3 and costs to 'Squire Provost yesterday for disturbing the peace on, complaint of Capt J W. Hartley

I. A Reeves, the new undertaker, has gone to Staten Minn, to bring his family here They will make our city their permanent home.

John Boyd, a painter at Meyers' shop, was arrested yesterday by Officer Conard for insulting women near Wissen's saloon He was taken to the lock up

James W. Harris was fuller than a moon yesterday and made 'Squire Provost a special call He left $3 and the cost of entertaining himself with His Honor.

A colored woman in male attire paraded the streets yesterday It was a very poor make-up and her features gave her away. She has been here for three days

Frank Jack will leave tonight for Palo Alto, Cal, where he will enter the Leland Sanford Junior University. He will stop at Tacoma enroute and visit friends

Ex Gov Richard Oglesby of Elkhart, was in town yesterday to see the circus parade He saw it and took as much enjoyment as if he were a boy He was the guest of J J. Peddecord

The public schools were dismissed yesterday morning by the orders of Supt Gastman, so that the students could see the parade. At the high school the morning session was for only one hour after chapel.

A buggy was badly wrecked on West Main street yesterday afternoon by coming in contact with a hay wagon which was crowded over by a street car The axle of the buggy was badly bent but no injury befell the driver.

The trial of Smithson, the Atwood burglar which has been in progress in the Monticello court before Judge Vail for two days past, went to the jury last night at about 7 30 Lawyer Johns of Decatur is one of the lawyers for the defense

Ed Porter, treasurer of the K of P at Sullivan is still beyond the reach of any officer who may want him Neither has Bert Woodruff been heard of A gentleman from Sullivan said yesterday that Porter's father would make the lodge whole The father is bondsman and is willing to do the fair thing

The H Mueller Heating and Plumbing company have moved their stock to their new and beautiful block on North Main street The lower floor of the block extends from street to alley The face of the building is artificial stone, the mouldings being modeled by R O Rosen The building is three stories high

A man has been going about the streets for some days past, showing samples and taking orders for shirts. There is a city ordinance prohibiting peddling on the streets, but still men are allowed to disobey it every day. Many book agents and peddlers seem to be ignorant of the fact that a license fee of $5 a day is required to pursue their labors

The thermometer registered 90 degree in the shade yesteaday at noon, one of the hottest days of the season The evenings also are very warm We need rain to settle the dust which is several inches deep in some places In the city we do not notice the dust like we did before the streets were paved. The streets are sprinkled more too in recent years

There were almost 13,000 people in town yesterday to see the elephant It was an orderly crowd too Few arrests were made and little if any disorder was on the crowded streets The street car companies had their share of the crowd, some cars having as many as 95 on one run The people however were given transportation, but it was close crowding

Mollie C, J. H. Chamberlain's fast mare, will go on the track no more this season She has not fully recovered from her recent lameness and her owner has decided to enter her in no more races for the present. She has done some good work this season and won some good money and her trouble will be a big loss to Mr Chambealain, as he expected to enter her in several big stake races this fall. She is now at the Downing stables

A. J Morning, the mail clerk who was injured in the wreck at Homer last month, is on a good road to recovery His attending physicians allowed him to get up, but a surgeon from Toledo examined his knee and decided that it should be put in plaster. This operation has been done and he is still at Springfield in the hospital, and expects to have the plaster removed in the near future His physician believes that he can not go on the road again on account of his knee, otherwise he is all right.

One merchant yesterday made his display of straw hats the most important feature An almanac was pulled on him and his attention directed to the season of the year. He said that seasons have nothing to do with the matter, that it was a question of thermometer. And then he invited the crowd to go with him into the cellar where it could see that the thermometer stood in with his efforts. Said the merchant, "it is better to try to sell these hats to the curious crowd today than to carry them over to next spring and then advertise a brand new stock The crowd finally appreciated the merchant's fine moral effort and wished him plenty of clear conscience. He sold two hats

THE MAN WITH A THUMB.

This Summer's Fad

A hatter told me this morning that he was selling more yachting caps this year than straw hats, and I believe it Shortly after my interview with the hatter I met a friend of mine, upon whose head was perched one of the jaunty yachting caps. It made him look like an Admiral Walker I said

'You look like a sailor with that cap Have you ever been across?"

"No," he replied.

"Have you ever been on the ocean or on the sound?"

"No," replied, I haven't, but," he added, "I've been out to the West Hartford reservoirs." Which shows that a sword doesn't make a brigadier general.—Hartford Post.

TRACK AND TRAIN.

Grant Schuler is now one of the car shop force.

Joe Pharo, lineman, has been here visiting his father.

Conductor C. P. Malley has resumed his run after a brief lay off.

Ed Higgins is running on 490 while Lon Gray is taking a lay off.

George Rigney of Chicago is again here working in the car shops.

A new Pacific express car is about ready for use on the road. It is No. 2 and was made here

General Manager Hays' private train is being thoroughly overhauled and painted at the shops here.

F R. Pickle, formerly of the car shops, has accepted a position as fireman on a switch engine in St. Louis.

Watchman Kelly of the Wabash car shops was kept busy yesterday showing stray circus people the way out of the shops.

The Wabash has contracted with a car company at Delphi, Ind., for 250 thirty-ton freight cars to be manufactured immediately, at a cost of $125,000, also for 300 coal cars with a Detroit company.

The New York Central on Monday broke all records of fast time for long runs of passenger trains on railways on either side of the Atlantic A special train composed of one of our new standard passenger engines, weighing 200,000 pounds, and three private cars, weighing 200,000 pounds, conveying Vice President Webb and party, made the run of 436¼ miles from New York to East Buffalo in 440 minutes, including three stops, one of which occupied seven and one-half minutes.

A huge locomotive manufactured by the Rhode Island Engine works was here yesterday, and left last night on train 99 at about 11 o'clock for St. Louis on the way to Central Mexico where the engine is to be used. The machine was under the management of the Wabash master mechanic. The advantage of this machine over the others lies in the heaviness and in the action of the steam cylinders which use the steam three times instead of only once. There is no beauty about the appearance of the engine but it is an elegant worker, besides making good time It was made as much for an advertisement as for any other purpose and is of the three drive wheel pattern.

Bloomington Pantagraph The Chicago & Alton, to put it mildly, is booming and business has now reached the highest peg in its history. Yesterday 200 cars of stock and 50 cars of fresh meat, besides 200 cars of dead freight were hauled through this city. The freight crews are being increased and the trainmen are making excellent wages in consequence. The rush of business seems to increase daily, rather than diminish any, as is usually the case when the stock season is over The shops in this city are increasing their capacity by working nights. as orders for new cars, engines and cabooses are being received daily. The order has been given that the double track, which is now being built from Pontiac to Chenor, will be at once extended to Lexington. leaving only the gap between Lexington and Towanda, which cannot be extended this year owing to the heavy work. They also expect to lay a double track from Venice to Wann, a distance of sixteen miles where traffic is heavy and constantly on the increase.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

LEAGUE.

New York, 9 Chicago, 3.
Boston, 8, Pittsburg, 3
Brooklyn 6, Cleveland, 0
Philadelphia, 11 Cincinnati, 6

ASSOCIATION

St Louis, 6 Athletics, 10
Louisville. 9 Washington, 8.
Milwaukee 4 Baltimore, 11.

A Remedy Suggested.

"Do you know who that fearfully homely woman is over by the door?"

'Yes that is my wife, and I would remind you that beauty is only skin deep "

'Then, my dear sir, why on earth don't you skin her?"—Brooklyn Life.

Sullivan

The statement of the fair treasurer shows a balance of $1,133 on hand.

Z B Whitfield has bought R. M. Miller's property on West Harrison street for $1 500.

F. W Baugher and William Tabor have purchased Dunkin Bros ' stock of groceries on the west side.

Mrs. Maron Steele is having a house built near the residence of W. A. Steele in the east part of town.

G. W. Barger was re-elected superintendent of the county farm at a salary of $500, and Dr Stedman was chosen county physician

Rev E J Durham preached his farewell sermon at the Methodist church Sunday and left for conference at Bloomington Tuesday.

Twelve thousand five hundred dollars was levied to apply in payment on the county bonds and twenty thousand dollars was levied as a county tax.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Sullivan, Saturday, Sept. 12, Miss Effie Green to Mr Frederick O. Weismantle. Dr. A. L Kellar performed the ceremony in the presence of about 40 guests, including the relatives and a few of the intimate friends of the contracting parties.

The following levies of road and bridge tax were also reported: Marrowbone, 45c on the hundred, Whitley, 40c, Sullivan, 25c; Lovington, 40c, East Nelson, 30c; Jonathan Creek, required the amount of $600; Dora, $715. and Lowe, $600. Marrowbone reported a levy of $1,000 as a cemetery tax.

At a meeting of the board of supervisors the following persons were selected to serve as grand jurors at the November term of the circuit court. H. F. Harris, W. S Adkins, William Sammon, O. E. Hostetler, T. H. Crowder, J. A. Mitchell, J. A. Fruit, J. B. Craig, H. B. Haggerman, Jacob Eberhardt, G M. Edwards, A. J. Hughes, G. R. Thompson, S. S. Peters, Richard Archer, D. F. Bristow, Josiah Hoke, John M. Kelley, James A. Stocks, James Morrison, T. B. Hoskins and S. H. Purvis.

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